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Chairperson: Miss MASON

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The discussion covered in the summary record began at 11.50 a.m.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS OF STATES PARTIES (agenda item 4) (continued)

Adoption of concluding observations

1. The CHAIRPERSON invited the Committee to adopt its concluding observations concerning the initial reports of States parties considered at its eighteenth session.

Initial report of Hungary (CRC/C/8/Add.34)

2. Mrs. MBOI (Rapporteur) presented the Committee's draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Hungary (CRC/C/15/Add.87).

3. The draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Hungary were adopted.

Initial report of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (CRC/C/3/Add.41)

4. Mrs. MBOI (Rapporteur) presented the Committee's draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (CRC/C/15/Add.88).

5. The draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea were adopted.

Initial report of Fiji (CRC/C/28/Add.7)

6. Mrs. MBOI (Rapporteur) presented the Committee's draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Fiji (CRC/C/15/Add.89).

7. The draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Fiji were adopted.

Initial report of Japan (CRC/C/41/Add.1)

8. Mrs. MBOI (Rapporteur) presented the Committee's draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Japan (CRC/C/15/Add.90).

9. The draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Japan were adopted.

Initial report of Maldives (CRC/C/8/Add.33 and 37)

10. Mrs. MBOI (Rapporteur) presented the Committee's draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Maldives (CRC/C/15/Add.91).

11. The draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Maldives were adopted.

Initial report of Luxembourg (CRC/C/41/Add.2)

12. Mrs. MBOI (Rapporteur) presented the Committee's draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Luxembourg (CRC/C/15/Add.92).

13. The draft concluding observations concerning the initial report of Luxembourg were adopted.

DRAFT PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE NINETEENTH SESSION (CRC/C/75, chap. V)

14. The draft provisional agenda for the nineteenth session was adopted.

ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ITS EIGHTEENTH SESSION (CRC/C/75)

15. The CHAIRPERSON, introducing the draft report of the Committee on its eighteenth session (CRC/C/75), briefly reviewed the main chapters: organizational and other matters, reports by States parties under article 44 of the Convention and overview of the other activities of the Committee. In that latter chapter, emphasis was placed on cooperation with United Nations and other competent bodies, follow-up to the general discussion on children and the media and the future thematic debate on children living in a world with HIV/AIDS. In the absence of any objection, she would take it that the Committee wished to adopt the draft report on its eighteenth session.

16. It was so decided.

CLOSURE OF THE SESSION

17. After an exchange of courtesies, the CHAIRPERSON declared the eighteenth session closed.

The meeting rose at 12.35 p.m.